

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: David E. Altobeili, Russell Beavis, Larry B. Gray, and Derek G. Kane

Application No.: 10/670,641

Group No.: 3743

Filed: 09/25/2003

Examiner: Lopez, A.S.

For: Metering System and Method for Aerosol Delivery

**RESPONSE UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP**

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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application, Replacement Terminal Disclaimer and Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

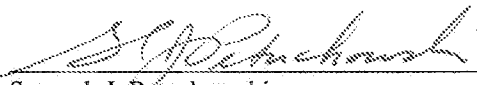
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	21	MINUS	27	= 0	x	\$ 50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP	4	MINUS	11	= 0	x	\$ 200.00	= \$	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+	\$ 0.00	= \$	0.00
TOTAL								\$ 0.00
ADDIT. FEE								

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-4972.
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